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In re Patent Application of:

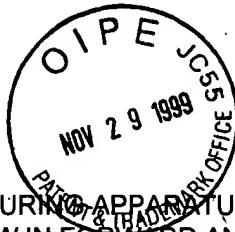
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Serial No. 09/421,086

Filed: October 19, 1999

For: FLUID FLOW AMOUNT MEASURING APPARATUS  
RESPONSIVE TO FLUID FLOW IN FORWARD AND  
REVERSE DIRECTIONS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231



Attention: Application Branch

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Date: November 29, 1999

The attached completes filing of the above-identified patent application:

- Signed Rule 63 Declaration alone OR  
 Signed Declaration plus attached copy of originally filed specification/drawings.  
 **NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED** form.  
 Record and return the attached assignment.  
 Priority is hereby claimed per Rule 55 & 35 USC119 based on prior foreign application(s) Nos.:

<b>Application Nos.</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Filing Date</b>
10-299353	Japan	21 October 1998
11-290517	Japan	13 October 1999

respectively.

 This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s):

<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Filing Date</b>
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respectively and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

Certified copy(ies) of foreign and/or provisional application(s):  attached;  already filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
in U.S. Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

- The undersigned verifies that the above-identified application is identical to: 11-290517 filed 13 October 1999, as amended on \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Verified Statement attached establishing "small entity" status (Rules 9 & 27)  
 Also attached:

**Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Basic filing fee	\$	760.00
Total Effective claims 16 - 20 = 0 x \$ 18.00	\$	0.00
Independent claims 2 - 3 = 0 x \$ 78.00	\$	0.00
If any proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$260.00 (ignore improper)	\$	0.00
FILING FEE	\$	760.00
Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$380.00/2 months; \$870.00/3 months; \$1,360.00/4 months)	\$	0.00
Surcharge (\$130.00) if Declaration or filing fee first now submitted	\$	130.00
FIRST SUBTOTAL	\$	890.00
If "small entity," enter half (½) of subtotal and subtract	\$	0.00
SECOND SUBTOTAL	\$	890.00
Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00)	\$	40.00
TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED	\$	930.00

Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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